

On page 23, line 17, delete "homogenous" and insert
-- homogeneous --.

On page 36, lines 17-18, delete "12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville,
MD" and insert - 10801 University Blvd., Manassas, Virginia --.

On page 40, line 4, delete "reported" and insert -- reporter --.

On page 40, line 10, delete "reported" and insert -- reporter --;
on line 16, delete "4b" and insert 4C --; on line 17, delete "4c"
and insert -- 4B --.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-34 and 38 without prejudice.

35. (Amended) A method of treating a tumor associated with Epstein-
Barr virus comprising administering to a patient having developed or
at risk of developing such tumor a therapeutically effective amount of
an isolated I-TRAF polypeptide.

37. (Amended) A pharmaceutical formulation comprising a
therapeutically effective amount of an isolated I-TRAF polypeptide in
association with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Please add the following claims:

--39. The method of claim 35 wherein said I-TRAF polypeptide comprises
the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:5 or an allelic variant thereof.

40. The method of claim 35 wherein said I-TRAF polypeptide is encoded
by a nucleic acid capable of hybridizing under stringent conditions to
the complement of SEQ ID NO:6.

41. The method of claim 35 wherein said I-TRAF polypeptide is encoded
by the nucleic acid of SEQ ID NO:6.